



RECEIVED

MAY 09 2003

GROUP 1700

PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 72093

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Imai et al.

Appln No.: 09/939,388

Filed: August 24, 2001

For: Resin Recycling System

Group Art

Unit: 1746

Examiner: Kornakov, M..

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this date.

MAY 01 2003

Date

James P. Krueger

Registration No. 35,234

Attorney for Applicant(s)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the restriction notice dated April 9, 2003, for the above-identified application, Applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-5, for continued prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

Fitch, Even, Tabin & Flannery

James P. Krueger

Registration No. 35,234

MAY 01 2003

Date

Fitch, Even, Tabin & Flannery
120 South LaSalle Street, Suite 1600
Chicago, Illinois 60603-3406
Telephone: (312) 577-7000
Facsimile: (312) 577-7007
311049